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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Donald Thomas McGrath

Art Unit: 2817

Serial No.: 10/784,577

Examiner: Shingleton, Michael B.

Filed: February 23, 2004

For:

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#### TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is:

Amendment (10 pgs.), in response to Office Action dated January 24, 2006 and made final

Transmittal Form (3 pgs.), in duplicate

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### **STATUS**

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claims small entity status. is other than a small entity.

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Michael Tersillo, Reg. No. 42,180

## **EXTENSION OF TERM**

3.	The proceeding apply.									
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)  (a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)									
		Extension for response within:  first month second month third month fourth month fifth month	Other than small entity Fee \$ 120.00 \$ 450.00 \$ 1,020.00 \$1,590.00 \$2,160.00	Small entity Fee (if applicable) \$ 60.00 \$ 225.00 \$ 510.00 \$ 795.00 \$1,080.00						
Fee: \$  If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.										
(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)  An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.  Extension fee due with this request \$										
	OR									
(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.										



# FEE FOR CLAIMS

	(Col. 1)  CLAIMS  REMAINING  AFTER  AMENDMENT		(Col. 2) (Col. 3)		SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY			
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INDEP.			MINUS		=	x \$100.00 = \$		x \$200.00 = \$	
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						TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	
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## **AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006, and made final, Applicant respectfully requests consideration and entry of the following amendment.